IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) | |
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| •• | : | Examiner: Tuyet Thi Vo |
| GUNTER JOHLER, et al. |) | |
| | : | Art Unit: 2821 |
| Appln. No.: 10/599,624 |) | |
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| For: ILLUMINATION SYSTEM | : | January 22, 2009 |

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 23313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 24, 2008, Applicants elects, without traverse, to proceed with the prosecution of Species 3 (Claims 38 and 40-44).

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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